

Inventor(s): BRADSHAW, et al.

Appln. No.: 09

664,794

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Filed: September 19, 2000

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

REPLY/AMENDMENT/LETTER

Group Art Unit 1734

Examiner: Sells, J.

Atty. Dkt. P 271077

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Appln. Title: LAMINATING AND ADHESIVE
TRANSFER APPARATUS

Date: May 16, 2001

This is a reply/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated herinto by reference and the signature below is treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

1. Small Entity claim

- A. ☒ NOT made
B. ☐ Withdrawn
C. ☐ made herewith
D. ☐ made previously

For B & C
See Required
Separate Paper
(Pat-256)

| | Claims remaining after amendment | Highest number previously paid for | Present Extra | Large/Small Entity | Additional Fee | Fee Code Lg/Sm |
|--|---|------------------------------------|--|---------------------|----------------|---|
| 2. Total Effective Claims | 13 | **minus 20 | 0 | x \$18/\$9 = | + \$0 | 103/203 |
| 3. Independent Claims | 2 | ***minus 3 | 0 | x \$80/\$40 = | + \$0 | 102/202 |
| 4. If amendment enters <u>proper</u> multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for <u>first</u> time (leave blank if this is a <u>reissue</u> application) | | | | add + \$270/\$135 = | + \$0 | 104/204 |
| 5. <u>Original due Date:</u> June 2, 2001 | <input type="checkbox"/> NONE | | | | | |
| 6. <u>Petition is hereby made</u> to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached | (1 mo) (2 mos) (3 mos) (Usable <u>only</u> for ≤ 2mo.OA --- 4 mos) (Usable <u>only</u> for 30 day/1mo.OA --- 5 mos) | | \$110/\$55 = \$390/\$195 = \$890/\$445 = \$1390/\$695= \$1890/\$945= | + \$0 | | 115/215 116/216 117/217 118/218 128/228 |
| 7. Enter any previous extension fee <u>paid</u> since above <u>original</u> due date and <u>subtract</u> | - \$0 | | | | | |
| 8. <u>Extension Fee Attached</u> | + \$0 | | | | | |
| 9. If <u>Terminal Disclaimer</u> attached, add Rule 20(d) official fee | + \$110/\$55 + \$0 148/248 | | | | | |
| 10. If IDS attached requires Official Fee under Rule 97 (c), | + \$180 + \$0 126 | | | | | |
| or if Rule 97(d) Request | + \$180 + \$0 126 | | | | | |
| 11. After-Final Request Fee per rules 129(a) and 17(r) | + \$710/355 + \$0 146/246 | | | | | |
| 12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b) | x \$710/355 ea + \$0 149/249 | | | | | |
| 13. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | + \$710/355 + \$0 1179/1279 | | | | | |
| 14. Petition fee for | + \$0 | | | | | |
| 15. TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED = | \$0 | | | | | |

16. *If the entry in this space is less than entry in next space, the "Present Extra" result is "0".

17. **If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

18. ***If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

Our Deposit Account No. 03-3975)

(Our Order No. 81069 271077

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This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

Query: Is appeal deadline now? If so, file Notice of Appeals separately.

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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 173

Honorable Commissioner of Patents,
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 2, 2001, please amend the above identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

36. (Amended) An apparatus for processing a master in conjunction with a supply of a first feed material and a supply of a second feed material, at least one of said feed materials carrying a layer of adhesive, said apparatus comprising:

a frame having an outer shell including (a) a lower outer shell portion having downwardly facing surfaces constructed and arranged to placed on a substantially flat support surface for supporting said apparatus and (b) an upper outer shell portion movably connected to said lower shell portion for movement between an open position and a closed position relative to said lower outer shell